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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

AXA EQUITABLE LIFE INSURANCE  
COMPANY, AXA NETWORK, LLC & AXA  
NETWORK OF TEXAS, INC.,

Plaintiffs,

Civil Action No. 08-1972 (MGC) (FM)

v.

RICHARD EHRLICH,

Defendant.

**MOTION TO ADMIT JAMES J. LEONARD *PRO HAC VICE***

This Motion for Admission to Practice *Pro Hac Vice* is filed pursuant to Rule 1.3(c) of the Local Rules for the United States District Courts for the Southern Districts of New York. The undersigned counsel, a member of the Bar of this Court, hereby moves this Court for an Order allowing the admission *pro hac vice* of:

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James J. Leonard is a member in good standing of the Bars of the States of Georgia and Texas. There are no pending disciplinary proceedings against James J. Leonard in any State or Federal court.

Dated: April 9, 2008  
New York, New York

Respectfully Submitted,



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**AFFIDAVIT OF JOSEPH PETERSEN IN SUPPORT OF MOTION  
TO ADMIT JAMES J. LEONARD *PRO HAC VICE***

**STATE OF NEW YORK )**  
                          ) ss:  
**COUNTY OF NEW YORK)**

Joseph Petersen, being duly sworn, hereby deposes and says as follows:

1. I am a partner at the law firm of Kilpatrick Stockton LLP, 31 West 52<sup>nd</sup> Street, New York, New York 10019, counsel for Plaintiffs, AXA Equitable Life Insurance Company, AXA Network, LLC & AXA Network of Texas, Inc. ("Plaintiffs"), in the above captioned action. I am familiar with the proceedings in this case. I make this statement based on my personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein and in support of Plaintiffs' motion to admit James J. Leonard as counsel *pro hac vice* to represent Plaintiffs.

2. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of New York, and was admitted to practice law in 1997. I am also admitted to the bar of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, and am in good standing with this Court.

3. I have known Mr. Leonard for well over a year.

4. Mr. Leonard is a partner at the law firm of Kilpatrick Stockton LLP, 1100 Peachtree Street, Suite 2800, Atlanta, Georgia 30309-4530.

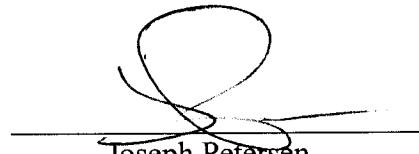
5. I have found Mr. Leonard to be a skilled attorney and a person of integrity. He is experienced in Federal practice and is familiar with the Federal Rules of Procedure.

6. Accordingly, I am pleased to move the admission of James J. Leonard, *pro hac vice*

7. I respectfully submit a proposed order granting the admission of James J. Leonard, *pro hac vice*, which is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

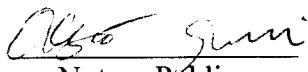
WHEREFORE it is respectfully requested that the motion to admit James J. Leonard, *pro hac vice*, to represent Plaintiffs in the above captioned action, be granted.

Respectfully Submitted,



Joseph Petersen

Sworn to before me this  
17<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2008



Notary Public

ALBERTO J. GARCIA  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 01GA6053013  
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# EXHIBIT A



# STATE BAR OF GEORGIA

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**CURRENT STATUS:** Active Member-Good Standing

**DATE OF ADMISSION TO PRACTICE:** 05/28/1992

**Attorney Bar Number:** 446655

Today's Date: March 20, 2008

Listed below are the public disciplinary actions, if any, which have been taken against this member:

<b>State Disciplinary Board Docket #</b>	<b>Supreme Court Docket #</b>	<b>Disposition</b>
N/A	N/A	N/A

The prerequisites for practicing law in the State of Georgia are as follows:

- Must be certified by the Office of Bar Admissions, either by Exam, or on Motion (Reciprocity).
- Sworn in to the Superior Court in Georgia, which is the highest court needed for individuals to practice law in the State of Georgia.
- Enrolled with the State Bar of Georgia, which is an arm of the Supreme Court of Georgia.

Attorneys licensed in Georgia and whose membership is current are eligible to practice law in Superior Court. Attorneys may, upon application, apply for admission to the Supreme, District and State Court of Appeals.

Under the privacy/confidentiality provision of the Bar Rule 4-221(d), any complaint against a member resolved prior to the filing and docketing of a disciplinary case in the Supreme Court is not a matter of public record, and may not be revealed without a waiver from the member. It is the policy of the State Bar of Georgia to answer any inquiry about a member by disclosing only those complaints that have been docketed in the Supreme Court. With respect to matters that are currently pending as active, undocketed cases, when an inquiry is received, the State Bar of Georgia shall not disclose the existence of those complaints. Such non-disclosure should not be construed to confirm the existence of confidential complaints since the vast majority of members in good standing are not the subjects of such confidential complaints.

This member is currently in "good standing" as termed and defined by State Bar Rule 1-204. The member is current in license fees and is not suspended or disbarred as of the date of this letter.

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**ORDER FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE* OF JAMES J. LEONARD  
ON WRITTEN MOTION**

Upon the motion of Joseph Petersen attorney for Plaintiffs AXA Equitable Life Insurance Company, AXA Network, LLC & AXA Network of Texas, Inc., ("Plaintiffs") and said sponsor attorney's affidavit in support;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

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is admitted to practice *pro hac vice* as counsel for Plaintiffs, in the above captioned action in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York. All attorneys appearing before this Court are subject to the Local Rules of this Court, including the Rules governing discipline of attorneys. If this action is assigned to the Electronic Case Filing (ECF) system, counsel shall immediately apply for an ECF password at [nys.uscourts.gov](http://nys.uscourts.gov). Counsel shall forward the *pro hac vice* fee to the Clerk of the Court.

Dated: April \_\_\_, 2008

SO ORDERED,

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U.S.D.J.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on April 11, 2008, a true and correct copy of the following

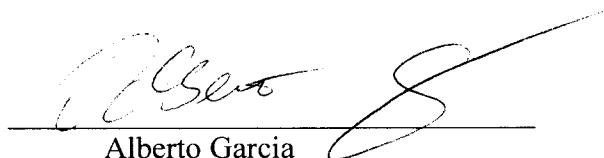
documents:

- a) Motion to Admit Michael A. Kaeding Pro Hac Vice with supporting papers;
- b) Motion to Admit James J. Leonard Pro Hac Vice with supporting papers; and
- c) Motion to Admit George L. Murphy, Jr. Pro Hac Vice with supporting papers;

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